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Josh on Waterfalls.

I rather like waterfalls. I can't tell why, enny more than I can tell why I love kastor ile—but kastor ile is good for lazyness in the system. I don't like lazyness or no sort—not even in musketeers. I want my musketeers lively. But aut this iz foreign to my purpose. I like waterfalls—they are so easy and natural. They attack all the sex. Some they attack with grate fury while others they approach more like a sieg, working up slowly. I saw one yesterday. It wnt no bigger than a small French turnup. It had attacked a small woman of only 9 summers' duration. She waz full of recreation, and when she bounded along the sidewalk (it was on the west side of St. Clair street, in the city of Cincinnati, fornest Baker & Davis' yellor soap store) the water fall highsted up and down in an oscillating manner, resembling much the sportive terminus of a bobtailed larva in a grate hurry. I also saw another one pretty soon, which belonged to a mature matron. She might have saw 75 summers, her hair waz white as flour (Perkins' "A" worth 15 dollars a barrel, delivered); but the waterfall waz black. I asked a bystander how he accounted for that. He said "it waz younger." I also saw another one pretty soon, which waz the property of a gusher. She waz about 19 years old, and waz as ripe as a 2 year peach. She swept the streets like a thing of life. Men stopped to gaze as she passed, and put in a new chew of tobacco. Little boys pocketed their marbles in silence. Her waterfall waz about the size of a korn basket turned inside out. It waz inklozed in a common skap, net, and kivered with blazing diamonds of glass. It shone in the frisky sun like the tin dome on the Court-house, waz the supervisors meet. But I rather like waterfalls. It had been sed that they would run out, but this, I think, iz a error, for they don't show no leak yet. In the language of the expiring Canadian, on our northern frontier, I say—"Vive la bog a tale!"

GETTING IN BY COUNT.—Scandford's Aroupe were singing at Springfield, and a large party heard them cheap. Said one of them to the door, "J ust count these fellows as they go in." "Have you got 'em counted?" inquired one of them. "Yes, the door-keeper had." "Well, good evening," remarked one of them and left. It is needless to say that the unfortunate door-keeper unable to identify the fellows inside, made nothing by his motion in the count.

A New York paper tells of a physician in Maine, who contracted the habit of chewing tobacco 40 years ago. He has at various times abstained from its use entirely from two to six months at a time, but in every instance he has been driven back to the weed by unmistakable indications of dropsy of the chest, which usually passes off in a week or two after the resumption of the habit.

Some people think the war will check the supply of German toys for the holidays.

Why Aunt Sally never got Married.

"Now, Aunt Sally, do please tell us why you never got married? You know you said that once when you was a girl you were engaged to a minister, and you promised you would tell us all about it some time. Now, aunt, please do."

"Well, if I ever did see such girls in my born days. It's tease, from morning till night. You must know all about everything you haven't no business to know anything about. Such inquisitive, pestiferous critters as you are! When I was young, girls was different; they minded their own business, and didn't go sailing around with a white string of beaux, getting their heads filled with all kind of nonsense. I never dared to ask my aunts, married or single, about their affairs. Pretty mess I'd got into if I had. When they offered to tell me anything of their own accord, I kept my mouth shut and listen. Everything is different now-a-days; young folks have no respect for elders. But as I see I'm not going to have any rest till I do tell you, why just listen, and don't let me hear a word out of one of your mouths till I get through."

"That's right, Aunt Sally, go ahead, do, and we'll keep perfectly still."

"Well, you see I was about seventeen years old and I was living at Uti, ca, in the State of New York. Though I say it myself, I was quite a good looking girl, and had several beaux. The one that took my fancy most waz a young minister, a very promising young man, and remarkably pious and steady. He thought a great deal of me and I kind a took a fancy to him, and things ran on till we were engaged. One evening he came to me—I remember it as well as if it were only yesterday. When he came into the parlor where I was alone, he came to me and—but, now, pshaw, girls! I don't want to tell the rest."

"Oh, Aunt Sally, for mercy's sake don't stop, tell us what he did."

"Well, as I said, he came up to me and put his arms around me and rather hugged me, when I got excited and somewhat frustrated; it waz a long time ago, and I don't know but what I might have hugged him back a little. Then I felt—but just now—clear out, every one of you, I shan't tell you any more."

"Goodness, gracious, no, Aunt Sally. Tell us how you felt. Didn't you feel good! And what did he do next?"

"Oh, such torments as you are! I was like any other girl, and pretty soon I pretended to be mad about it, and pushed him away, though I wasn't mad a bit. You must know that the house where I lived waz on one of the back streets of the town. There waz glass doors in the parlor, which opened right out over the street, and no balcony nor anything of the kind in the front of the house. As it was in the summer season these doors were open and the shutters drawn to. I stepped back a little from him, and when he edged up close I pushed him back again. I pushed harder than I intended to, and don't you think, girls, the poor fellow lost his balance and fell through one of the doors into the street. Yes, it's so. As he fell I gave a scream and caught him—but I declare I won't tell any more. I'm going to leave the room."

"No, no, Aunt Sally. How did you catch him? Did you hurt him much?"

"Well, if I must I must. He fell head first, and as he was going I caught him by the legs of his trousers. I held on for a minute and tried to pull him back, but his suspenders gave away, and the poor young man fell clear out of his pantaloons into a whole parcel of ladies and gentlemen passing along the streets."

"Oh, Aunty, Aunty, Lordy, Lordy!"

"There, that's right, squall and giggle as much as you want to. Girls that can't hear a little thing like that without tearing around the room, and behaving in such way, don't know enough to come home when it rains. A nice time the man who marries one of you will have, won't he? Catch me telling you anything again."

"But, Aunt Sally, what became of him? Did you ever see him again?"

"No; the moment he touched the ground he got up, and left that place in a hurry, I tell you it waz a sight to see how that man did run. Father happened to be coming up the street at the time, and he said he never saw anything to equal it in his whole life. I heard others say he did the fastest running ever known in that part of the country, and that he never stopped or looked behind until he waz two miles out of town. He sent me a note a few days afterwards, saying that the engagement must be broken off, as he

could never look me in the face again after what had happened.

He went out West and I believe he is preaching out in Illinois. But he waz so very badly frightened at the time he never dared to trust himself near a woman again. That, girls, is the reason I never married. I felt very bad about it for a long time, for he waz a real good man, and I have often thought to myself that we should always been happy if his suspenders hadn't given away!"

The hot weather has produced some tall stories; this is one of them; "By a single incident, a pair of egg merchants at Independence, Iowa, last week unintentionally became poulterers on a large scale. The porter suddenly heard a noise in the store-room, where there were 60,000 dozen of eggs packed away, preparatory to being shipped east, and on going to see what waz the matter, found 720,000 chickens running about the floor. They had been hatched by the heat."

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A man commenced digging a well in Woodford county, Ill., last week, but gave it up at the depth of nine feet, believing it waz useless to search for water in that spot. An hour or two later, there waz two feet of water in the hole, and next morning the water waz running over the top. The owner concluded not to sink another well.

The Prince of Wales is twenty nine, the Emperor of Austria forty, Louis Napoleon sixty-two, the King of Denmark fifty two, the King of Greece twenty-five, Victor Emmanuel fifty, King William of Prussia seventy-three and Alexander, Emperor of Russia, fifty-two.

AN ENEMY IN YOUR MOUTH.—Do not put an enemy in your mouth, to steal away your teeth. Beware of destructive tooth washes, and tooth powders, many of which are base imitations of Sozodont. Insures a life lease of sound teeth and fragrant breath, by adopting the fragrant Sozodont.

A DISTRESSING COUGH causes the friend of the sufferer as much pain as the sufferer himself. Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry will certainly cure coughs, colds, arrest consumption, and that speedily. When did it ever fail? 32-2w

The story of the woman who has not spoken to her husband for twenty years which has been going the rounds of the papers of late, has just received a satisfactory explanation. The woman has not had a husband for twenty years.

"Can you steer the mainmast down the forecable stairs?" asked a sea captain of a new hand. "Yes sir, I can, if you will stand below and coil it up." The captain didn't catchise that man any more.

"SPALDING GLUE" handy about the house, mends everything.

A box containing a black bear waz received at an express office in San Francisco the other day, with this inscription: "Black Bear. If yew don't want to get bit, kepe yer fingers outen the trap!"

Brevities.

DEAD LOCKS—Chignons.

A MEW SING—A cat serenade.

A MANTLE SHELF—A lady's shoulder.

Six languages derived from the Latin are now spoken. The most important is the French.

Queen Mary Stuart's Watch waz made in the shape of a skull and adorned with precious stones.

The London Medical Press says that tight boots are ascertained to have a most injurious effect on the vision.

"Bodad," said an Irishman, "if a Yankee were cast away on a desert island he'd begin selling maps to the inhabitants."

Law is like a sieve, you may see through it, but you must be considerably reduced before you can get through it.

SQUEEZES.—There are 12,000,000 sets of corsets imported into the U. S. annually, paying \$5,000,000 of revenue tax. Corsets are the main stay of the revenue.

TALL TREE.—The tallest tree yet measured is an Australian, of the myrtle family. It is 480 feet high, but in diameter it is inferior to the big trees of California.

John Miller, a prominent farmer living near New Albany, Ind., is suffering from a peculiar disease of throat that prevents him from swallowing anything and he is slowly starving to death.

A wealthy citizen of Lowell, Mass., became insane, last week, in consequence of the death of his wife, and hacked his throat in a shocking way with a razor.

The people of Harrison County, Ind. were excited a few days since by the discovery of a vein of gold, by laborers, who were engaged in sinking a well. The excavations will be continued.

A little boy 6 years old, and a little girl 8, were looking at the clouds one beautiful summer evening, watching their fantastic shapes, when the boy exclaimed, "O, Minnie, I see a dog in the sky!" "Well, Willie," replied the sister, "it must be a sky terrier!"

It is not what people eat, but what they digest that makes them strong. It is not what they read, but what they remember, that makes them learned. It is not what they profess, but what they practice, that makes them righteous.

"How heavy you walk!" exclaimed Mrs. Mackwhack, on hearing her husband tumbling up stairs the other night. "Well, my dear," waz the gruff response, "if you can get a barrel of whisky up stairs with less noise, I should like to see you do it."

A man, who on being told by a generous farmer that he would give him a barrel of cider asked if he would bring it to his house. "Certainly," replied the farmer, "with pleasure." "Well," said the grateful recipient, "what will you pay me for the barrel when the cider is gone?"

The oldest man in Jo Davies county, Ill., according to the census which nearly is completed, is Mr. M. Hileman, of the town of ward's Grove, aged 103 years. Mr. Hileman is a native of Pennsylvania.

Somebody told Joe, before he went out camping, that benzine would keep off mosquitoes and black flies. Joe took a bottle with him, and after supper covered his face and hands thoroughly, not omitting his whiskers and hair. He then filled his pipe and lit a match for a good smoke. Joe is now all covered with blisters and sores about the head, and stays in the house.

A Quakeress, jealous of her husband, watched his movements, and one morning actually discovered the trunk kissing and hugging the servant girl. Broadbrim waz not long in discovering the face of his wife as she peeped through the half-open door, and raising with all the coolness of a general officer, he thus addressed her: "Betsey, thee had better leave off peeping or thee will cause a disturbance in the family."

They have an oilless street pavement in London. A part of Holborn has been laid with a smooth, "patent asphalt," over which the wheels of cabs and wagons roll without clatter. The Daily News demands that a fair trial should be given to this pavement, and indulges in dreams of the day when the traffic of London shall guide through streets "as noiselessly as the gondolas of Venice."

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